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DETAILED ACTION/1.105 REQUIREMENT FOR INFORMATION

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1. Claims 1-36 of U. S. Application 10/766,494, filed on 1/28/2004 are pending. This action is in response to Applicant's submissions filed 1/28/2004, 9/8/2004, 12/15/2004, 1/31/2005, 5/23/2005, 6/13/2005, 6/29/2005, 3/17/2006, 4/28/2006; 1/28/2004 (request for interference), and 5/5/2005 (request for status).

- 2. Applicant and the assignee of this application are required under 37 CFR 1.105 to provide the following information (see items A-F) that the examiner has determined is reasonably necessary to the examination of this application:
- A. Stipulate whether each and every individually cited reference listed on the IDS(s) submitted 1/28/2004, 9/8/2004, 12/15/2004, 1/31/2005, 5/23/2005, 6/13/2005, 6/29/2005, 3/17/2006, 4/28/2006 is material to the patentability of the instant application; the applicant may either *agree* or *disagree* for each cited reference.
 - 1. Identify, for each and every citation listed on the IDS(s) submitted 1/28/2004, 9/8/2004, 12/15/2004, 1/31/2005, 5/23/2005, 6/13/2005, 6/29/2005, 3/17/2006, 4/28/2006, for which applicant *agrees* is material to the patentability:
 - The differences between the claimed invention and those references cited therein,
 - How each reference is material to the patentability, based upon the technical and legal knowledge of the Applicant, of the claimed invention.
 - c. Provide how the instant claimed invention is an improvement over each and every reference that is listed in the IDS submission(s) dated 1/28/2004, 9/8/2004, 12/15/2004, 1/31/2005, 5/23/2005, 6/13/2005, 6/29/2005, 3/17/2006, 4/28/2006.
- B. Provide a copy of any non-patent literature, published applications, or patent (US or Foreign) used in drafting the instant application, whether or not cited in the IDS submission(s) dated 1/28/2004, 9/8/2004, 12/15/2004, 1/31/2005, 5/23/2005, 6/13/2005, 6/29/2005, 3/17/2006, 4/28/2006.

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C. Provide a copy of any non-patent literature, published application, or patent (US or Foreign) that was used in the inventive process to accomplish the applicant's inventive results.

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- D. Provide the date of first use of the claimed invention, known by any of the inventors or Applicant, at the time the application was filed *notwithstanding* the date of use.
- E. Trademark(s) or Copyright(s) for the product(s) incorporating the instant claimed invention.
- F. In order to constitute a complete response Applicant is required to include stipulations for each and every reference cited in the IDS submission(s) dated 1/28/2004, 9/8/2004, 12/15/2004, 1/31/2005, 5/23/2005, 6/13/2005, 6/29/2005, 3/17/2006, 4/28/2006 as well as each and every IDS submission thereafter, as delineated in requirement A.
- 3. The fee and certification requirements of 37 CFR 1.97 are waived for those documents submitted in reply to this requirement. This waiver extends only to those documents within the scope of this requirement under 37 CFR 1.105 that are included in the applicant's first complete communication responding to this requirement. Any supplemental replies subsequent to the first communication responding to this requirement and any information disclosures beyond the scope of this requirement under 37 CFR 1.105 are subject to the fee and certification requirements of 37 CFR 1.97.
- 4. Applicants had submitted a request for status of this and co-pending applications in which a request for interference has been entered. Applicants are reminded that their assistance with the numerous and voluminous information disclosure statements was requested in copending applications. Applicants were *silent* in response, and, in fact submitted more IDS statements with no acknowledgement of Examiner's request.

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5. The applicant is reminded that the reply to this requirement must be made with candor and good faith under 37 CFR 1.56. Where the applicant does not have or cannot readily obtain an item of required information, a statement that the item is unknown or cannot be readily

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6. This requirement is subject to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.134, 1.135 and 1.136 and has a shortened statutory period of 2 months. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE

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